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GOV. EASLEY APPOINTS DOWD TO EDENTON HISTORICAL COMMISSION

RALEIGH – Gov. Mike Easley has appointed **John T. Dowd** of Edenton to the Edenton Historical Commission.

Dowd is a broker for Real Estate of Edenton Bay. He is chairman of the Chowan Hospital Foundation, vice chairman of the Edenton-Chowan Economic Development Commission, a member of the Edenton Main Street Board of Directors and served as mayor of Edenton from 1985-2001. Dowd was also named Edenton-Chowan Chamber of Commerce Businessman of the Year in 2003. He received his bachelor's degree in business administration from East Carolina University.

The commission encourages the preservation, restoration and appropriate presentation of the Town of Edenton and Chowan County as a historic, educational and aesthetic place to benefit the citizens of the community, the state and visitors. The commission has 33 members. The governor appoints 25 members.

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